

FileSender Terabyte Challenge

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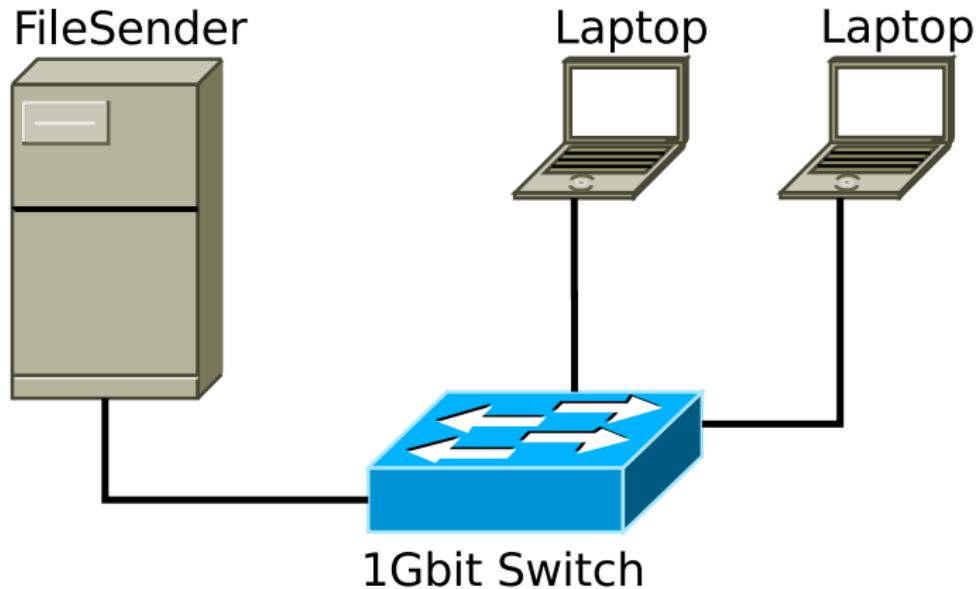
What is FileSender?



- Meant to be easy for user and sysadmin
- No extra software requirements
- Default setup reaches only 150Mb/s

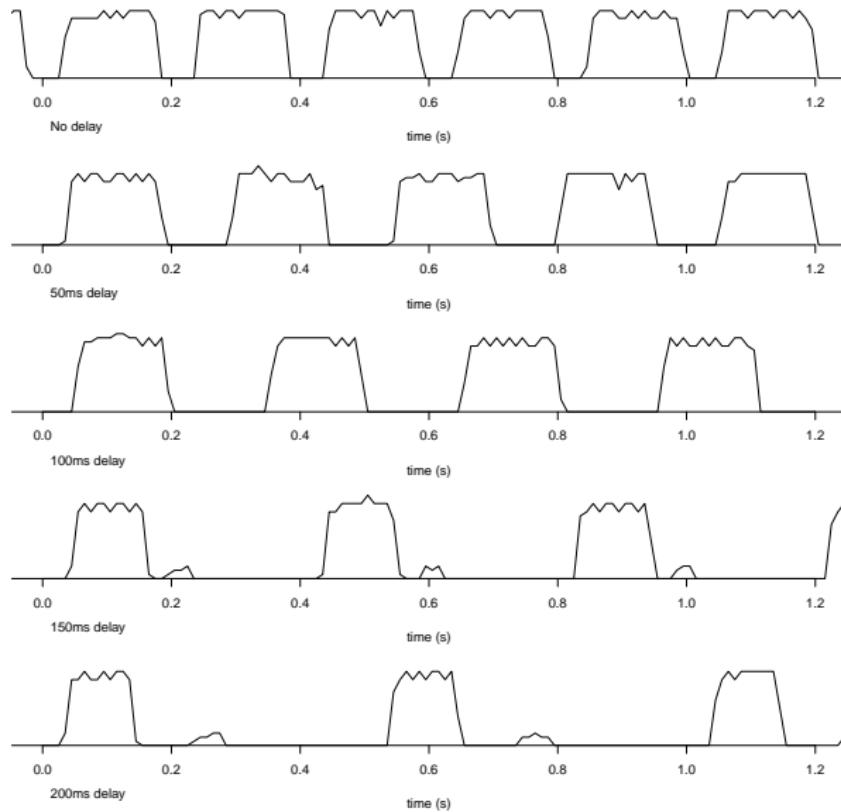
Research Question

Can we identify bottlenecks in the FileSender application and how can we improve the transfer speeds by reducing or removing these bottlenecks.



- Tested and excluded the hardware as the bottleneck (except HDD)

The bottleneck



Client side implementation

- Remove Gaps
- JavaScript webworkers
- Parallelisation
- Concurrent TCP streams (like GridFTP)

Server side implementation

- Handle out-of-order chunks
- X-Start-Byte HTTP header
- File based queue

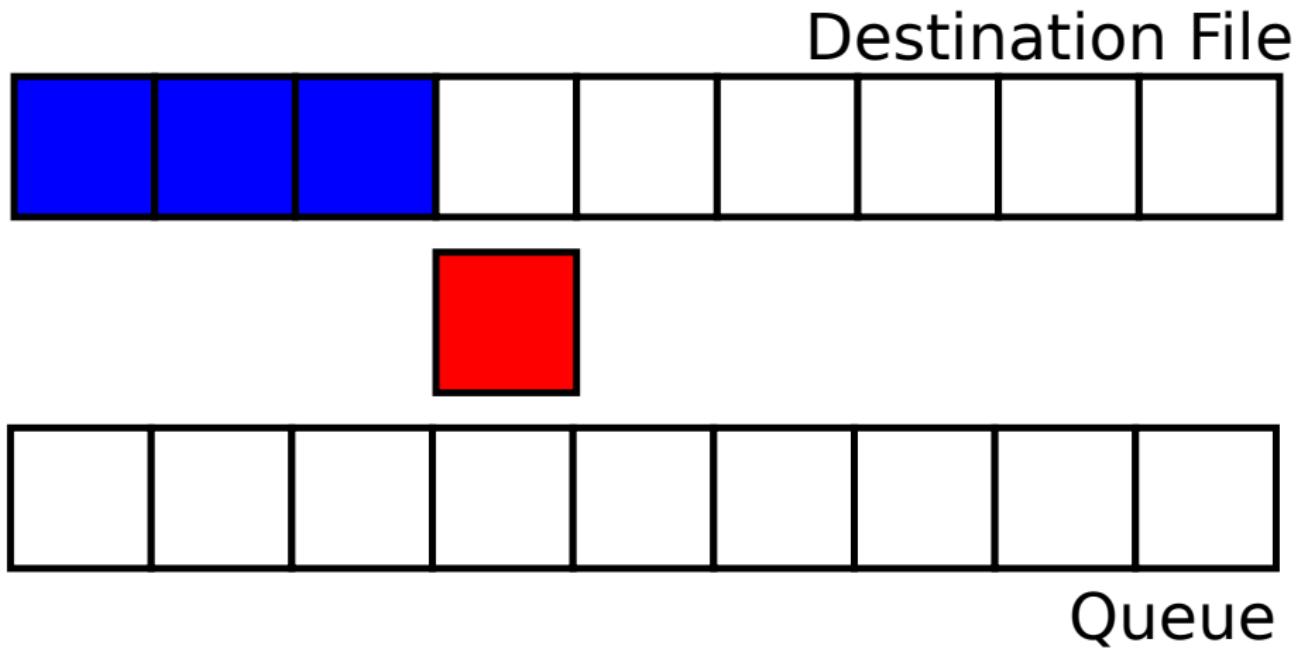
Server side implementation (Example)

Destination File



Queue

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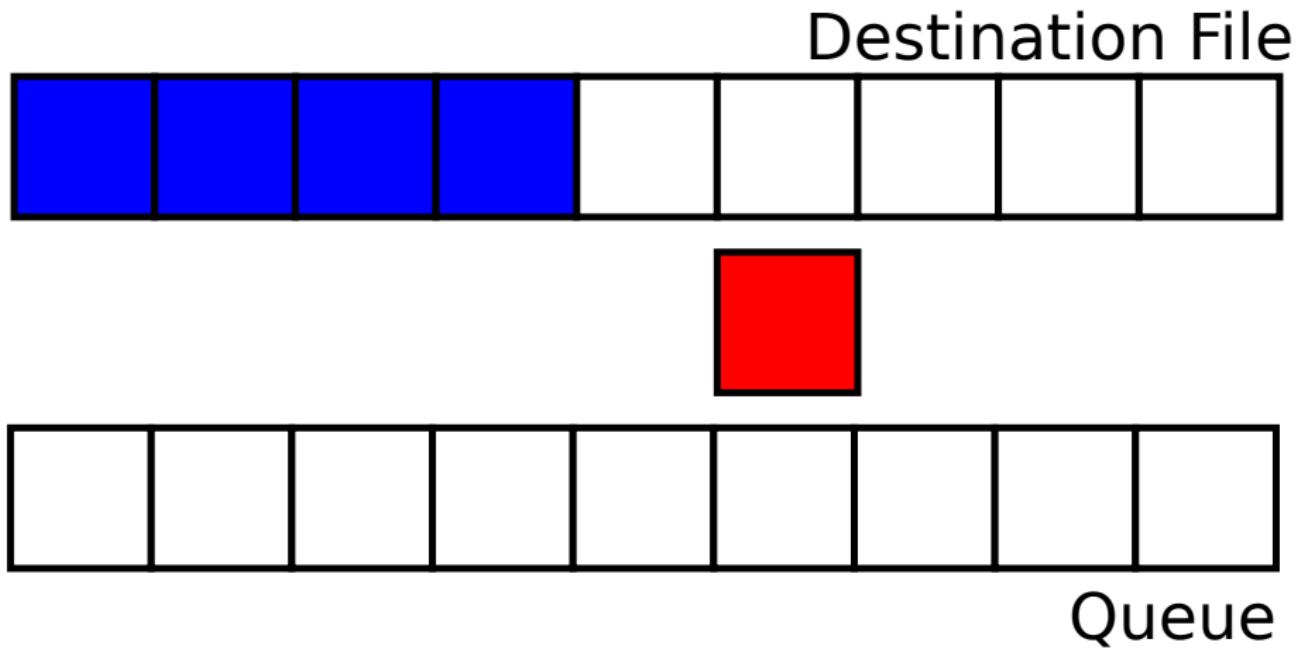
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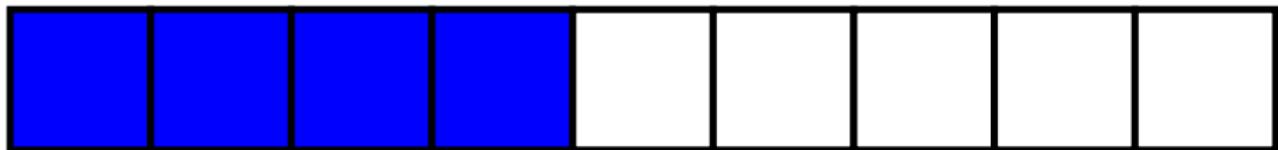
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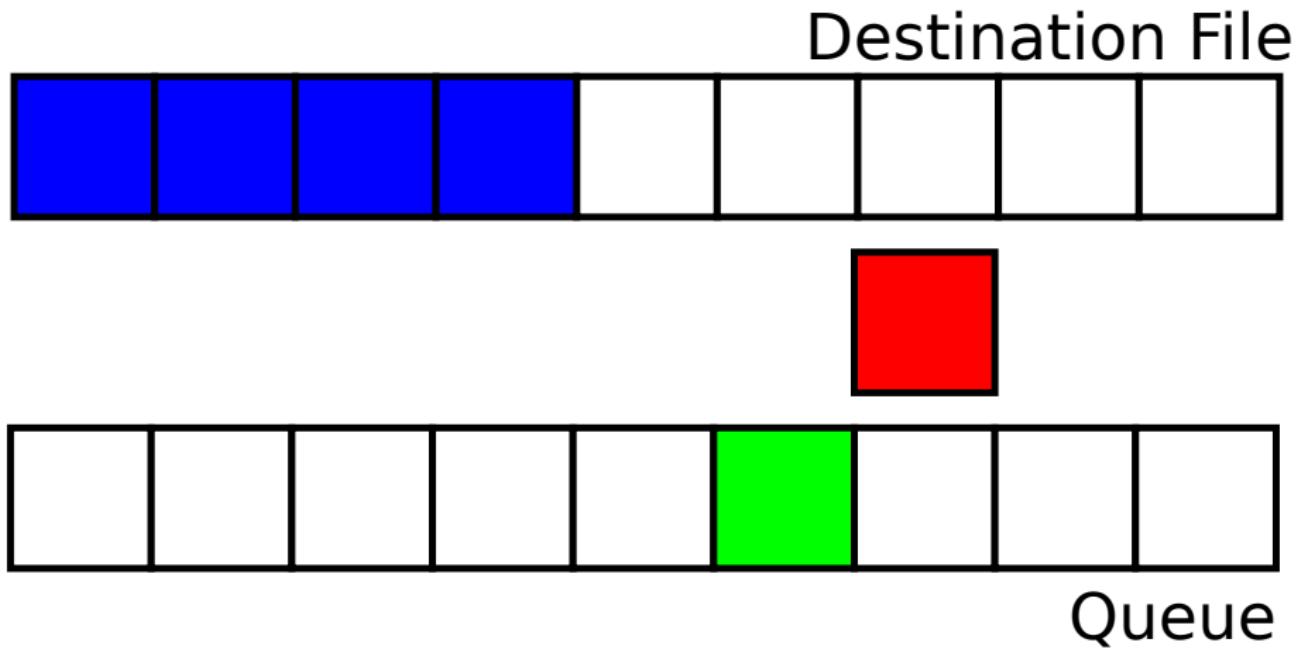
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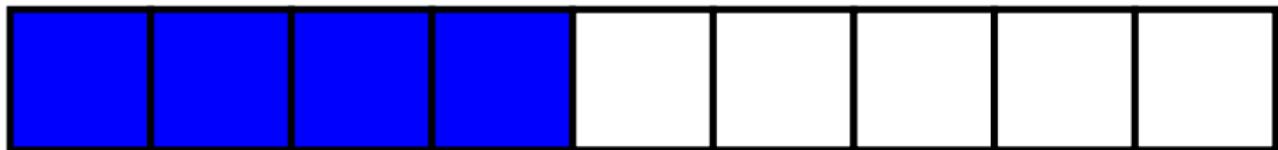
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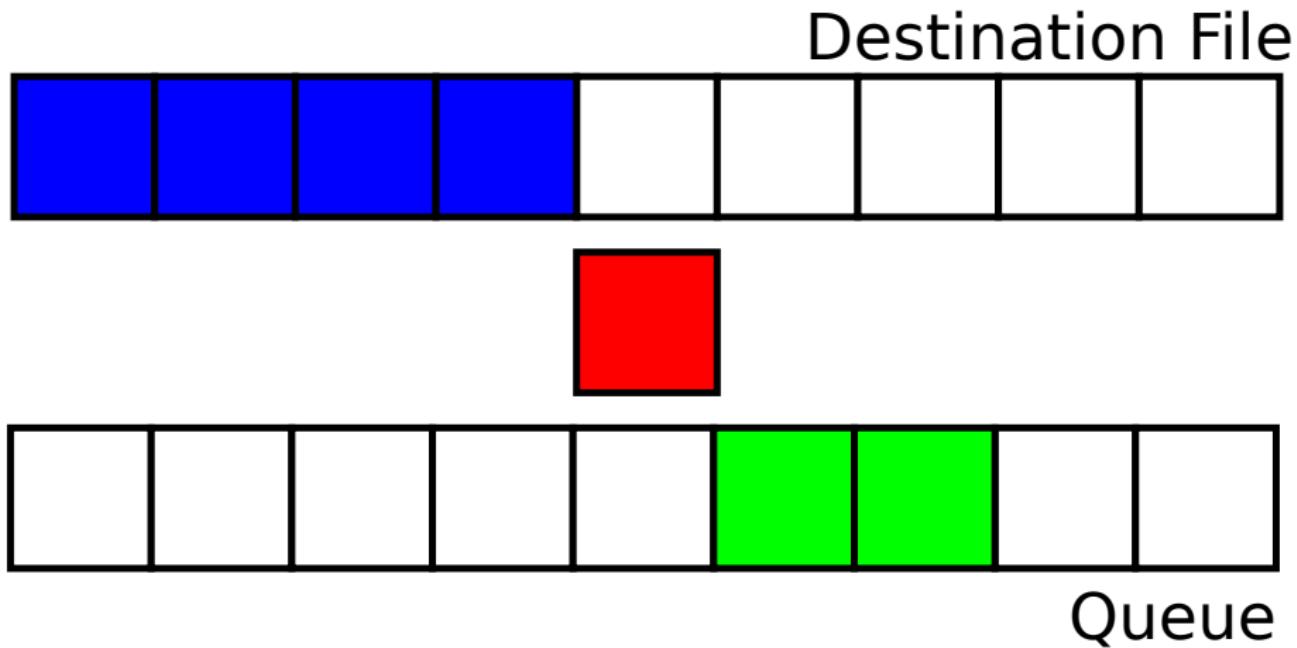
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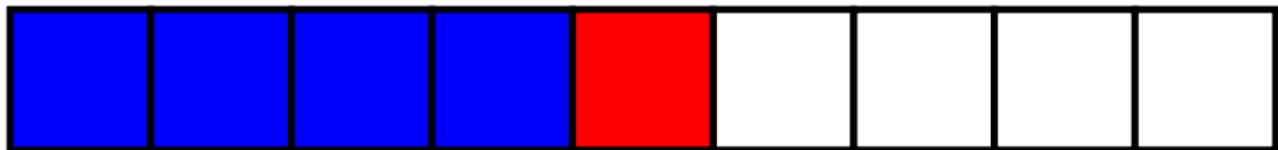
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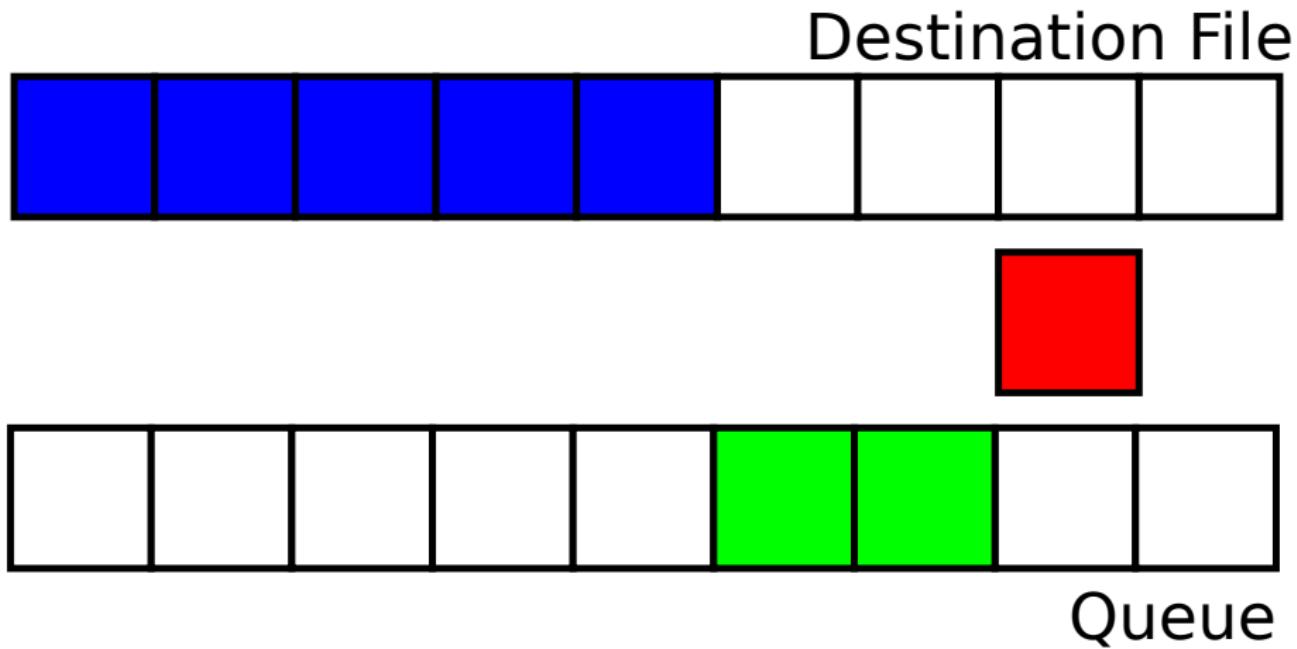
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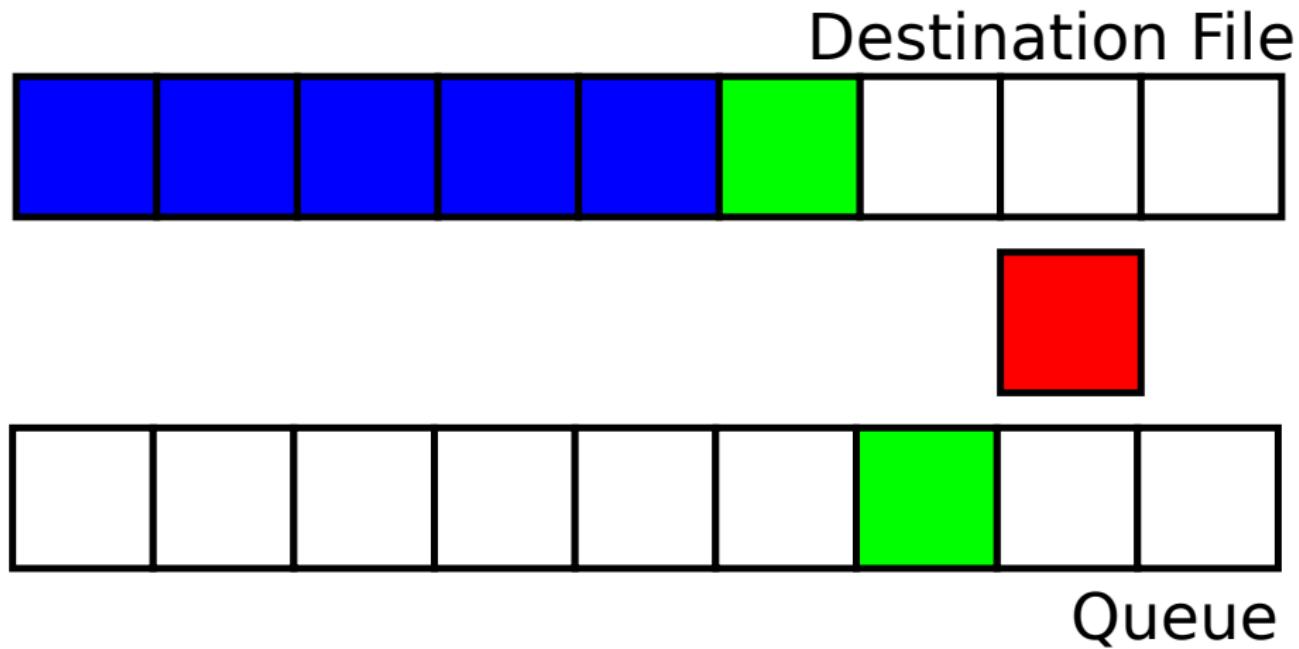


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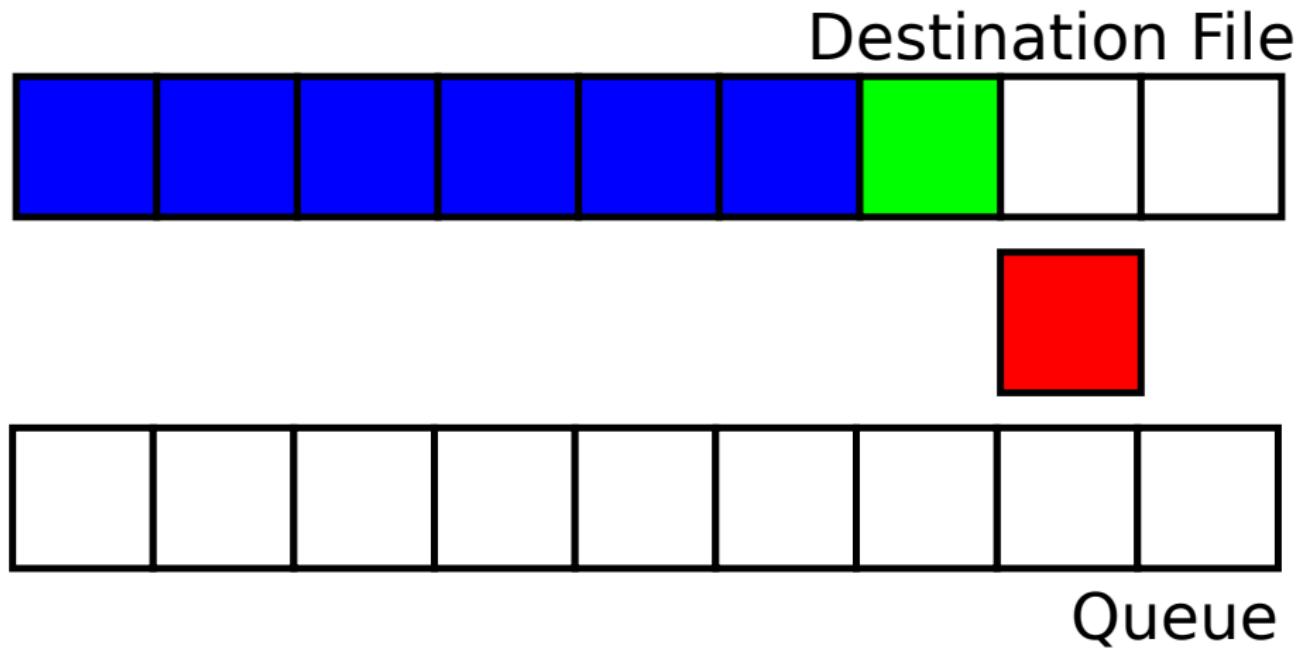
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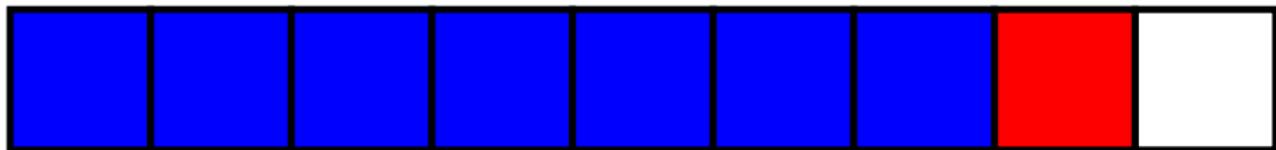


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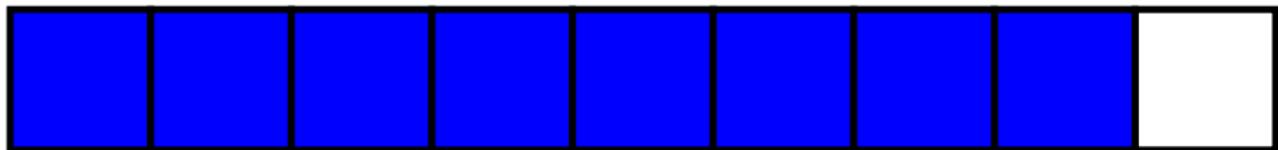


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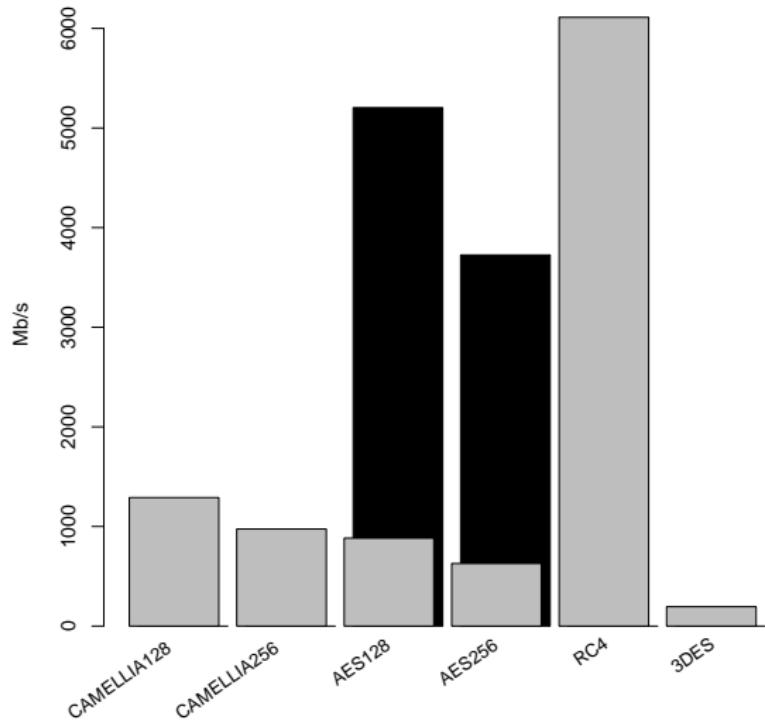


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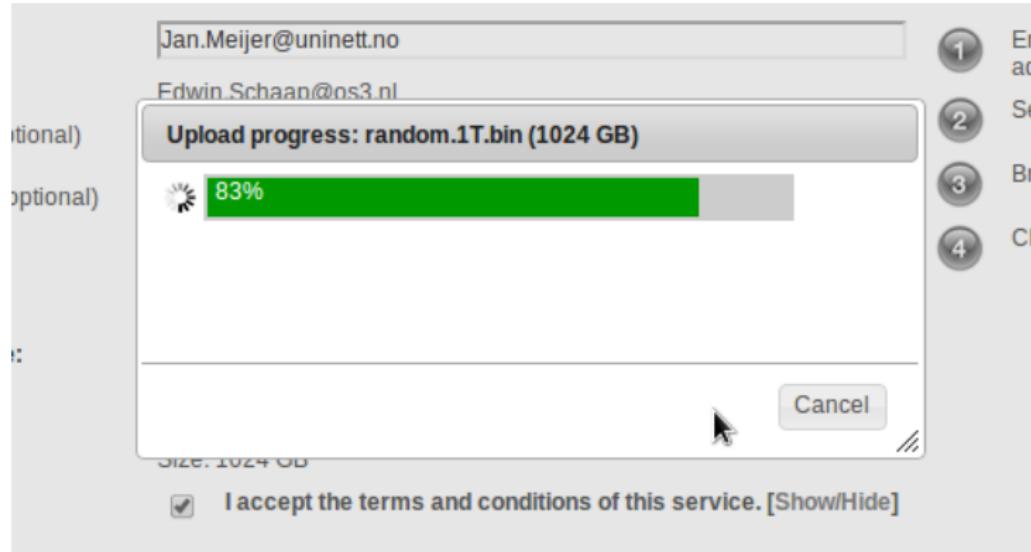


SSL performance

- Depends on cipher
- AES-NI



Terabyte Challenge



- Transferred in 3 hours and 19 minutes (@702Mb/s)
- Harddisk as bottleneck

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